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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Eighteenth Saturday in 1940
(*4th May* 1940.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 4th May 1940								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940							
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (−) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE												
Bangalore(observatory)	0	21	0	59	1	95	3	04	2	09		
Hoskote ...	1	50	0	55	3	24	2	68	0	56		
Dodballapur ...	0	38	0	64	2	43	2	88	—0	45		
Nelamangala ...	0	32	0	48	1	75	2	48	—0	73		
Kankanhalli ...	0	60	0	60	4	13	2	75	1	38		
Magadi ...	0	70	0	55	2	92	2	71	0	21		
Channapatna ...	0	00	0	65	0	98	2	88	—1	90		
Anekal ...	0	55	0	64	3	16	3	19	—0	03		
Devanhalli ...	1	61	0	50	3	65	2	91	0	74		
Closepet ...	2	63	0	61	7	13	2	68	4	45		
District average ...	0	85	0	58	3	13	2	82	0	31		
KOLAR												
Kolar ...	0	12	0	34	3	10	2	54	0	58		
Bowringpet ...	1	47	0	38	3	23	2	73	0	50		
Chintamani ...	0	36	0	33	1	85	2	45	—0	60		
Mulbagal ...	0	72	0	57	2	64	2	82	—0	18		
Sidlaghatta ...	0	75	0	51	4	08	2	52	1	56		
Chikballapur ...	0	11	0	38	3	30	2	66	0	64		
Bagepalli ...	0	40	0	31	1	72	1	99	—0	27		
Goribidnur ...	0	60	0	44	4	10	1	88	2	22		
Malur ...	0	52	0	45	2	18	2	88	—0	70		
Srinivaspur ...	0	35	0	37	1	14	2	60	—1	46		
Gudibanda ...	3	54	0	40	4	94	2	20	2	74		
District average ...	0	81	0	40	2	93	2	48	0	45		
TUMKUR												
Tumkur ...	0	80	0	61	3	83	2	40	1	43		
Madhugiri ...	0	28	0	31	1	77	1	94	—0	17		
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	58	2	51	2	54	—0	03		
Sira ...	0	41	0	37	1	86	1	81	0	05		
Gubbi ...	0	90	0	52	4	23	2	11	2	12		
Tiptur ...	0	88	0	65	2	69	2	62	0	07		
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	36	1	03	1	62	—0	59		
Kunigal ...	0	27	0	45	4	02	2	13	1	89		
Koratagere ...	0	10	0	35	3	39	1	93	1	46		
Turuvekere ...	1	28	0	56	4	46	2	14	2	32		
District average ...	0	49	0	47	2	98	2	12	0	86		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	5·50	5·75
Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kulthi	13·50	13·00	13·50
Kadale	6·25	6·00	6·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·50	7·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	13·00
Kulthi	14·00	15·00	11·00
Kadale	6·00	6·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Kulthi	15·00	15·00	12·00
Kadale	7·00	6·25	5·00

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 4th May 1940				Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains		
	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940				
			This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.		
MYSORE: Mysore (observatory)	1 55	0 81	3 81	3 78	+ 0 03		
Chamarajnagar ...	2 40	0 70	6 45	3 44	3 01		
Hunsur ...	3 56	0 75	6 05	3 60	2 45		
Krishnarajnagar ...	1 00	0 60	2 39	2 80	— 0 41		
Heggaddevankote ...	1 15	1 00	4 47	4 44	0 03		
Gundlupet ...	0 14	0 77	1 81	3 96	— 2 15		
Nanjangud ...	1 05	0 87	2 40	4 07	— 1 67		
T.-Narsipur ...	0 63	0 74	3 22	3 49	— 0 27		
Periyapatna ...	2 08	0 77	5 21	3 52	— 1 69		
District average ...	1 50	0 78	3 98	3 68	+ 0 30		
MANDYA: Mandya (observatory)	0 95	0 56	2 80	2 75	0 05		
Seringapatam ...	1 14	0 66	3 97	3 02	0 95		
Malvalli ...	0 32	0 66	4 39	2 76	1 63		
Krishnarajpete ...	3 93	0 64	5 17	3 01	2 16		
Nagamangala ...	2 98	0 55	6 43	2 99	3 44		
Maddur ...	0 80	0 62	1 17	2 37	— 1 20		
French-Rocks ...	1 68	0 56	4 04	2 69	1 35		
District average ...	1 69	0 60	3 99	2 80	1 19		
HASSAN: Hassan (observatory)	1 03	0 71	2 79	3 31	— 0 52		
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 78	0 61	3 67	3 37	0 30		
Arkalgud ...	2 02	0 77	4 93	3 47	1 46		
Belur ...	3 26	0 75	4 73	3 51	1 22		
Channarayapatna ...	2 71	0 86	4 80	3 03	1 77		
Arsikere ...	2 90	0 56	5 29	2 65	2 64		
Hole-Narsipur ...	1 20	0 67	3 11	3 07	0 04		
Alur ...	0 60	0 88	5 24	3 79	1 45		
District average ...	1 82	0 73	4 32	3 28	1 04		
SHIMOGA: Shimoga ...	0 27	0 57	1 24	2 40	— 1 16		
Channagiri ...	1 80	0 68	3 80	1 97	1 83		
Honnali ...	0 72	0 42	2 21	2 34	— 0 13		
Shikarpur ...	1 03	0 55	1 92	2 23	— 0 31		
Scrab ...	3 02	0 45	3 35	2 19	1 16		
Sagar ...	5 05	0 49	5 77	2 55	3 22		
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	4 34	0 43	5 74	2 24	3 50		
Tirthahalli ...	2 38	0 47	4 93	2 47	2 46		
Kumsi ...	0 97	0 62	2 76	2 68	0 08		
District average ...	2 17	0 52	3 52	2 34	1 18		
KADUR: Chikmagalur ...	2 72	0 88	3 96	3 76	0 20		
Kadur ...	1 52	0 51	2 81	2 27	0 54		
Tarikere ...	1 63	0 65	4 37	2 54	1 83		
Koppa ...	1 18	0 55	3 29	3 28	0 01		
Mudgere ...	1 14	0 69	5 15	3 77	1 38		
Narasimharajpura ...	1 72	0 62	3 65	3 21	0 44		
Sringeri ...	2 17	0 51	2 69	3 06	— 0 37		
District average ...	1 72	0 63	3 70	3 12	0 58		
CHITALDRUG: Chitaldrug (observatory)	1 90	0 58	3 22	1 92	1 30		
Challakere ...	1 39	0 41	1 57	1 71	— 0 14		
Hiriyur ...	0 58	0 38	3 47	1 84	1 62		
Holalkere ...	0 62	0 45	3 26	2 06	1 20		
Davangere ...	1 80	0 38	3 00	1 80	1 20		
Molakalmuru ...	1 02	0 43	1 80	1 59	0 21		
Jagalur ...	1 35	0 36	2 33	1 75	0 58		
Hosdurga ...	0 90	0 54	1 85	1 86	— 0 01		
Harihar ...	3 75	0 47	5 23	1 88	3 35		
District average ...	1 48	0 44	2 86	1 82	1 04		
Provincial average ...	1 39	0 57	3 49	2 72	0 77		

Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	10·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kadale			
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·00
Ragi	17·00	17·00	18·00
Kulthi	15·00	14·00	15·00
Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	7·34
Ragi	17·00	17·00	16·08
Kulthi	13·00	12·00	10·30
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Ragi	20·00	15·00	15·00
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Kadale	7·00	7·50	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	7·00
Ragi	19·00	19·00	15·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	14·00
Cholum	17·00	18·00	15·00
Kadale	7·50	8·00	7·00

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Sugarcane is planted in some parts of Nelamangala, Devanhalli and Bangalore South. Till is sown in some parts of Kankanhalli and sugarcane is harvested in some parts of Devanhalli.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is in good condition in parts of Devanhalli, Nelamangala and Bangalore South.

The ground is prepared for ploughing in almost all the taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. "Blackquarter" is prevalent in Bidaraguppe village of Anekal Taluk and action is reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Dry fields are being ploughed in Kolar, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Sugarcane in Kolar District.

Standing Crops.—Vaishaky paddy, sugarcane and giddaragi are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Mulbagal Taluk; paddy in Goribidnur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for "Anthrax" in Mylandahalli Village, Chintamani Taluk; "Blackquarter" in parts of Lakkur Hobli of Malur Taluk; "Rinderpest" in K. Kuruppalli and Kasettihalli villages of Srinivaspur Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy and groundnut in Kunigal Taluk; gingely in Tumkur Taluk; cholam, greengram in Tiptur Taluk are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in all taluks except Kunigal and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks and sugarcane in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur and Koratagere Taluks and sugarcane in Tumkur, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks are reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" in Benachakal, a village in Kunigal Taluk and "Rinderpest" in Mayasandra, a village in Turuvekere Tauluk. The Veterinary authorities have been addressed to take preventive measures to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are also reported to be available. Public health is generally good.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Mulberry in parts of Nanjangud Taluk and sugarcane and Mulberry in T. Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds Sown.—Cholam in Mysore Taluk; cholam, til, togari, castor and groundnut in Chamarajnagar Taluk; cholam, til, togari, ragi, greengram and blackgram in Nanjangud Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Fodder and water for cattle are available.

MANDYA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—It is reported that sugarcane in parts of Mandya; and jola in parts of Krishnarajpet and French-Rocks Taluks are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in parts of all the Taluks in the district and paddy in parts of Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that sugarcane is being cut and removed in parts of Mandya, Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks, and paddy is being harvested in some parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for the prevalance of "Black quarter" in Nagaraghatta Village, Krishnarajpet Taluk. It is reported that precautionary measures have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Til (ಎಳ್ಳು) jola and cotton in parts of Arsikere Taluk and ragi and paddy in Alur Sub-Taluk are being sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in parts of Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; and sugarcane in Belur Taluk as well as Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Favourable.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing and manuring operations are going on in the Taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri, Honnali, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is in good condition in all the taluks except Nagar.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district except for the prevalence of some contagious disease in Ingladi village of Tirthahalli Taluk. Necessary action is taken to render Veterinary aid.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing operations are commenced generally all over the District.

Crops Sown.—The Amildar, Chikmagalur Taluk reports that ragi, jola and til, etc., are being sown in some parts of Chikmagalur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of season are reported to be fair.

Rain-fall during the week has been fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing nil.

Standing Crops.—Such as cotton, paddy and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Cotton in Hiriyur Taluk; paddy in Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks; sugarcane and cotton in Holalkere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District, except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" to cattle in Anaji Village, Davangere Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed in the matter of adopting necessary preventive measures.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 7th May 1940.

K. M. NARASIMHAIYA,
Assistant Commissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner*
(Absent from the station.)

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 4th May 1940.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas		
		Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horse-gram
		Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	6 0	13 0	13 0
	,, South ...	6 0	15 0	14 0
	Hoskote ...	7 0	15 0	14 0
	Dodballapur ...	6 8	14 0	13 0
	Nelamangala ...	7 0	15 0	14 0
	Kankanhalli ...	7 0	14 0	14 0
	Magadi ...	8 0	16 0	15 0
	Channapatna ...	6 8	16 0	15 0
	Anekal ...	6 4	16 0	16 0
	Devanhalli ...	6 0	15 0	12 0
	Closepet ...	7 0	15 0	14 0
Kolar	Kolar ...	7 0	14 8	14 0
	Bowringpet ...	7 8	14 0	14 0
	Chintamani ...	7 0	11 0	12 0
	Mulbagal ...	8 0	16 0	15 0
	Sidlaghatta ...	Not received		
	Chikballapur ...	8 8	15 0	9 8
	Bagepalli ...	7 8	16 0	15 0
	Goribidnur ...	7 0	16 0	12 0
Tumkur	Malur ...	8 0	16 0	15 0
	Srinivaspur ...	7 0	15 0	14 0
	Gudibanda ...	7 8	18 0	14 0
	Tumkur ...	8 0	16 0	15 0
	Madhugiri ...	7 8	15 0	10 0
	Chiknaikanhalli ...	8 8	18 0	18 0
	Sira ...	8 0	16 8	16 0
	Gubbi ...	8 0	18 0	14 0
	Tiptur ...	8 0	16 0	16 0
	Pavagada ...	7 0	16 0	14 0
	Kunigal ...	8 0	16 0	14 0
	Koratagere ...	8 0	18 0	16 0
	Turuvekere ...	8 0	18 0	16 0
Mysore	Mysore ...	7 0	14 0	14 0
	Chamarajnagar ...	7 8	15 0	14 0
	Hunsur ...	8 0	16 0	16 0
	Krishnarajnagar ...	8 0	16 0	16 0
	Heggaddevankote ...	8 0	18 0	16 0
	Gundlupet ...	7 0	16 0	15 0
	Nanjangud ...	7 0	14 0	14 0
	T.-Narsipur ...	7 0	14 0	10 0
	Periyapatna ...	8 0	20 0	16 0
Mandya	Mandya ...	7 0	14 0	14 0
	Seringapatam ...	7 0	15 0	12 0
	Maivalli ...	6 8	12 0	12 0
	Krishnarajpete ...	7 0	16 0	16 0
	Nagamangala ...	7 0	16 0	18 0
	Maddur ...	7 0	18 0	8 8
	French-Rocks ...	6 12	15 0	14 0
Hassan	Hassan ...	9 0	17 0	15 0
	Manjarabad ...	10 0	14 0	13 0
	Arkalgud ...	8 0	25 0	16 0
	Belur ...	9 0	16 0	14 0
	Channarayapatna ...	8 0	16 0	16 0
	Arsikere ...	8 0	20 0	16 0
	Hole-Narsipur ...	9 0	18 0	16 0
	Alur ...	10 0	20 0	14 0
Shimoga	Shimoga ...	8 8	17 0	13 0
	Channagiri ...	8 8	18 0	14 0
	Honnali ...	8 0	18 0	14 0
	Shikarpur ...	10 0	25 0	16 0
	Sorab ...	8 0	20 0	14 0
	Sagar ...	7 4	17 0	13 0
	Hosanagar ...	8 0	15 0	12 0
	Tirthahalli ...	10 0	16 0	12 0
	Kumsi ...	8 8	18 0	14 0
Kadur	Chikmagalur ...	8 0	20 0	14 0
	Kadur ...	9 0	20 0	15 0
	Tarikere ...	9 0	22 0	16 8
	Koppa ...	8 0	14 8	14 0
	Mudgere ...	9 0	16 0	12 0
	Narasimharajpura ...	10 0	16 0	12 0
	Sringeri ...	12 0	19 0	13 0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ...	7 8	19 0	16 0
	Challakere ...	8 0	16 0	14 0
	Hiriyur ...	8 8	19 0	17 0
	Holalkere ...	7 0	18 0	15 0
	Davangere ...	8 0	18 0	16 0
	Molakalmuru ...	8 0	17 0	16 0
	Jagalur ...	7 8	20 0	16 0
	Hosdurga ...	8 0	22 0	18 0
	Haribar ...	7 0	20 0	16 0

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